LOCAL NEWS.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES YESTERDAY.-The weather yesterday was warm and bright, though blustery, and large congregations were present at most of the churches. Rev. Mr. Brown preached in the 1st Presbyterian Church, Rev. Mr. Phelps, P. E., in the M. E. Church, Rev. Mr. Brandt in the German Lutheran at night, Rev. Mr. Winner in the M. P. Church, Rev. Dr. Little in the M. E. Church, South, in the morning, and Rev. J. L. Clarke there at night. In the Baptist Church. Rev. Mr. Mirick preached in the morning on infant salvation, and its evangelical tone and tender spirit won him many friends and admirers. The pastor preached at night and gave notice that Rev. Dr. Hayeres will assist him in a series of meetings beginning to-night. In St. Mary's Church Rev. Father O Kane preached an able sermon upon the sinfulness of tale bearing and slanderous gossiping. The following is a report of the work done during the day by the Young Men's Christian Association:

The Alms House services were only attended by a small committee and by the inmates, the by a small committee and by the inmates, the storm interfering; the exercises, however, were very interesting and profitable. The Jail meeting was one of great interest to the committee, a fine company being at work; they report that the inmates gave earnest heed to the words spoken, especially the two under sentence of death, who expressed themselves fully prepared for their approaching end. The Prayer Meeting at the corner of King and West sts. was worked by a large committee, and a good congregation was present; the usual interesting and profitable exercises were held, and the results of this acthis gave great encouragement to the brethren. The Prayer Meeting in the Methodist Episcopal Church, notwithstanding the weather, was fully anended; the services were of the usual soulstended; the services were of the usual soul-diring interest by which this activity is charac-terized; a full number of the committee and hethren were at work, and the speaking, sing-ing and prayers were alike fervent, showing that the presence and power of the Holy Spirit was felt in the meeting; the hearts of the mem-ers were again cheered by the presence of a large number of the youth of both sexes. This meeting will be held next Sunday in the Baptist

ST. PATRICK'S DAY .- This has been the brightest and the warmest St. Patrick's Day experienced here for many years, and though the wind has been blowing a pretty stiff breeze from the northwest, expesing ankles but blinding eyes with the dust, the weather has not been by any means disagreeable. History is very obscure in relation to the place of birth of HAY, per ton from the cars 25 00 66 30 00 Ireland's patron saint, many historians con-tending that he was born in Brittany, France, about the year 373, while others with as much force contend that he was born in Scotland .-John Philpot Curran, who was the friend and and then a pricet. He landed at Wicklow in 441, converted the Irish, became Bishop of Armagh, and died on the 17th of March, in the PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 17, 1873. view is generally accepted. A popular legend relates that the Saint and his followers found themselves, one cold morning, on a mountain without a fire to cook their breakfast or warm their frozen limbs. Unheeding their complaints. Patrick desired them to collect a pile of ice and snow balls, which having been done, he breathed upon it and instantly it became a phasant fire. There was no public celebration | Steamer Wawaset, Cone river, to Totomac phasant fire. There was no public celebration | Ferry Co. She trought 9000 bunches of fish hver a discourse upon the life and character of the departed Saint at S. Marc's O' Steamer New Years Phillipped. ra discourse upon the life and character of Steamer New York, Philadelphia, to F A departed Saint, at St. Mary's Church, at Reed. half past seven o'clock to-night, when the Alexandria Catholic Beneficial Society will be & Perry. present and occupy the body of the church. The choir of the church have been rehearing some selections for the occasion and will render them to-night in their usually accomplished

WALL'S OPERA HOUSE. - Agnes Ethel, who will commence an engagement to-night at Wall's Opera House, comes with the indorsement of the dramatic critics of New York, Philadelphia. Baltimore, Boston, &c., and will, without doubt, fully sustain her great reputation as one of the most accomplished and sympathetic artists on the stage. She appeared one bundred consecutive nights at the Union Squae Thearre, New York, as Agnes, in the society drama written expressly for her. No other dramatic picture of Parisian society has attracted, in an equal degree, the attention and sympathy of American theatre-goers.

Injunction Refused -The application of Thomas Zimmerman for an injunction to restrain the Corporation from collecting the license tax imposed upon him as a butcher, has been refused by the Court of Appeals, upon the ground that the complainant has an adequate remedy at law. Mr. Zammerman will, so doubt, pay the tax under protest and sue the Corporation to recover, which proceeding will test the constitutionality of the city ordinusce; also whether said ordinance be not repagnant to the act of the Legislature which exempts butchers in towns from paying a

BADLY HURT. - A colored man named Wyatt Hunter, supposed to be insane, was arrested after a severe conflict yesterday, in the Mount Vernon neighborhood, and brought here in a wagon last night in charge of two other colored men. He had been chasing people's hogs and chickens, and had to be shot and knocked down before he could be secured. Dr. Powell dressed his wounds, among them being a fractured skall, and this morning he was thought to be improving. He lives with Mr. S. O. Bagot, and was carried to that gentleman's house, on k wal street, after his injuries had been ated to. tena

Wood, 9 ON FIRE. - The woods on the land 'ou, near Watkins' mill, caught fire yesterday a torning and burned nearly all day. Much value ble timber and some fencing were destroyed. The was absent, and had it a neighbor, and had it a neighbor, the flames we have in which were three s. a burnt off, and his face and hands blistered in efforts to save the house for Mr. Dove, a neighbor, the flames we have clothed his successful efforts to save the house for Mr. Dove, and have reached the have reached the house for Mr. Dove, and have reached the house in which were three s. A supplied to the house in which we have the house in the hou efforts to save the house.

MARKET HOUSE NEWS. -Consideral. le merriment was created in market last Satu. day evening by a fight that occurred there betwee a white boy and a black woman. During the excitement another colored woman stole the hat off the head of a grand child of Mrs. Mothershead. The stall of Robert Williams was broken open last night, but as it contained nothing, the thieves had their labor for noth-

THE WEATHER. - Yesterday morning about 3 o'clock a gale of wind came out from west, northwest, and continued all day. The dust rose in clouds, and the river was very rough. We have heard of no damage but the blowing down of some fences. Towards night the gale abated, and at night all was calm. The weather has turned colder.

APPOINTMENTS .- Among the Spring appointments of Bishop Johns are the following Apr. 15-Grace Church, Alexandria, (night)

20-Christ Church, Alexandria, (mor-" 20-St. Paul's Church, Alexandria

(afternoon). DR. BUSEY, the pastor of the Mr. E. Church South, has been appointed again to fill the station here—a most acceptable appointment. Dr. B. is an able preacher and a most excellent WHITE ASH COAL.

MEHAFFY & CO. DR. BUSEY, the pastor of the Mr. E. Church

To TAX PAYERS -- The attention of delinquent tax payers is directed to the notice of the City Sergeant in to-day's Gazette. The Sergeant can no longer grant indulgence, and will have to enforce the law. So walk up to the Captain's office and pay up.

BAPTIZING. - Some thirty colored persons, some of them children, from Princess street and Shiloh churches, were baptized at the usual place near Battery Rodgers, yesterday morning. The services were conducted with much solemnity.

PROPERTY SALE. - Jas. Rector Smoot has purchased house No. 219 King street, from W. A. Smoot, for \$3,250 cash.

COMMERCIAL.

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WHEAT, Common to fair 1	50	(4)	1	70
Fair to good 1	70	(14)	1	80
Good to prime 1	80	(4)	1	90
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REMARKS.-The market for Wheat opens dull at the decline mentioned last week; offerings of 44 bushels white and 441 of red, with sales of the former at 200 for strictly prime, and of the latter counsel of Robert Emmet, in some sketches at 165, 175 and 180 for fair to good, and 185, 187 published in 1811, says: - St. Patrick is said and 183 for very good samples. Corn is quiet; to have been bord in the year 373, near to Dumbarton, Scotlan!. He was first a soldier, and 64. Offerings of 59 bushels Rye; no sales

120th year of his age. The majority, however, sun Rose....... 6.09 | MOON RISES........ 9 44 insist that France was his birthplace, and this sun sers........... 6 08 ;

ARRIVED. Steamship John Gibson, New York, to Hooe

& Johnston. Steamer Charlotte Vanderbilt, Baltimore, Hooe & Johnston. Steamer Columbia, Baltimore, to B Wheat. She reports three vessels in the river, bound up, loaded with coal.
Steamer Wawaset, Cone river, to Potomac

Schr Mount Vernon, Aquia Creek, to Smoot SAILED.

Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, by F A

A CARD.

Seeing a report in Saturday's Gazette of the Radical meeting held on the night previous, I feel it to be my duty, as that meeting was call-ed for no clique, but for the R publicans generally, to say that the report of the meeting which was handed to you was not a report of the proceedings of the general mass meeting, for the resolution endersing Mr. White for Collector of Internal Revenue was laid upon the table, and by a unanimous vote the meeting then adjourned. If Mr. Whete's resolution was adopted in a caucus I think it proper to say so, and not that the majority of the Republicans sanctioned \$5,000; Mr. Cohn. silk winder, \$1.000; C. S. that the majority of the Republicans sanctioned it, when in fact they showed no desire to act in that direction. I feel in saying this that I, as President of the meeting referred to, am only doing justice to both the friends of Messrs. White and Millard. A. W. HARRIS,
White and Millard. Pres General Mass Meeting.

TO Notice .- The ladies and gentlemen who have consented to take part in the Concert for the benefit of the Alexandria Library are reroom, on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

By order of the Committee. mh 17-2t

be held to-morrow (Tuesday) night.

By order of the President. mh 17-2t

TRUSTEE'S SALE-By authority a deed of T trust executed to me by R. N. Hall, dated February 24th, 1873, and duly recorded in the county of Prince William, and by direction of the parties secured by said trust, I will sell to the highest bidder, on SATURDAY, the 19th day of April, 1873, about 12 o'clock m., on the farm of Dr. Jesse Ewell, in Prince William co., the following property, to wit: An undivided one-half of a PORTABLE STEAM ENGINE and BOILER, SAW and GRIST MILL, with the Saws, Tables, Sheds, Tools and other appertunctions to said mill, now located on the farm of tenances to said mill, now located on the farm of Dr. Ewell, in Prince William county, five miles south of Aldie—(the other half of said property belongs to E. A. Tyler.) This is a first-class Mill, in good order, and doing a good business.

Terms of Sale: So much in cash as will pay— 1st, the expenses of the trust, say \$75; 2d, \$500, with interest from January 1st, 1873; 3d, \$200, with interest from January 1st, 1873; the residue on a credit of 12 months, secured by bond, with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. The sale will take place at the Mill, and possession given as soon as the terms are com-biled with.

B. P. NOLAND, Trustee. Prince William county, mh 17-wis

NOMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VERY OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VERY
DESIRABLE PRIVATE RESIDENCE
AT FAIRFAX COURT HOUSE.—By virtue
of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at its November term, 1869, in the
suit of Jackson vs. Moss, &c., the undersigned,
commissioner therein named, will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door of Fairfax county, on MONDAY, the 21st day of April, 1873, that being Court day, a very desirable HOUSE and LOT, situated in the village of Fairfax Court House. The house is a large and commoijous frame building, in good repair, and the lot

ntains two acres of highly improved land.
Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in hand, and the residue in three equal money uts, payable in six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale; the months, we tained until the whole of the pur-

chase money s paid. Fairfax county, mh 17-wts

THE CHESAPEAKE,
Washington, D. C.
CHARLES G. GODFREY, proprietor of the
Wholesale and Retail Liquor Store, 1345 E st.,
Washington and FRANK A COPPLE who Wholesale and Retail Liquor Store, 1345 E st., Washington, and FRANK A. GOELL, (the latter a brother of George Goell, lately deceased,) have formed a copartnership and purchased "The Chesapeake," with a long lease of the premises. They hope to make it a comfortable resort for their friends, and promise to DO THE BEST THEY KNOW HOW to please and satisfy all who will favor them with a visit. isfy all who will favor them with a visit.

N. B.—The services of the well-known, cient and courteous ALFRED SUPPLEE have been engaged at the above Saloon, and he would respectfully request his former patrons and friends to call and see him. Washington, mh 17-3t

TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

Fire in Rockingham.

HARRISONBURG, March 17 .- The residence of Rev. J. W. Howe, near Melrose, in Rockingham county, with its contents and several outbuildings were consumed by fire this morning. Loss \$2,000.

From New York.

NEW YORK, March 17. - The Hon. Clarkson N. Potter declines to receive the increased pay as a member of the 42d Congress in a letter to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House.

The Cuban anti-slavery committee of this city has published an address reviewing the Spanish question and expressing the belief that the Spanish Government is not acting in good faith on the abolition question. An appeal is made for the recognition of the belligerency of

Postmaster Jones, of this city, says that his resignation is not due to political causes, as he was in perfect accord with the President, but arose from a desire to be free from the responsibility to which he is subjected by defalcations

among subordinates. The United Order of American Carpenters and Joiners an Amalgamated Union, are quite sanguine that the Bricklayers' Association Committee whom they are to meet to-morrow will agree to the eight hour system, and that there will be no trouble this year with the men

of that branch. It was vaguely rumored on Saturday evening that counterfeit stock of the Toledo, Warbash and Western Road, and of the Pittsburg and Fort Wayne Road, had been negotiated in Wall street, and that three or four firms were victimized, including the Continental Bank and the House of Kohn Leof & Co. The details are expected to-day. It is stated, however, that the extent of the forgeries may not go beyond thirty thousand dollars.

Some fifteen steamers are now overdue here from two to ten days. No anxiety, however, is felt for any of them except the Niagara, from Bermuda.

Elaborate preparations are being made by the Irish societies for the celebration of St. Patrick's day. It is expected thirty thousand men will parade.

The Courts of this city and Brooklyn are adjourned over until to-morrow. Geo. Wm. Curtis is reported as being dis-

pleased at the appointment of Gen. Sharpe as Surveyor of New York, declaring that the appointment was made without the knowledge or advice of the committee of three consisting of himself, Jackson Scultz and Collector Arthur, to designate a surveyor. Mr. Curtis has recovered from his illness.

The Irish societies and citizens are flocking into the city to participate in the St. Patrick's day ceremonies. It is computed that there will be fully twenty-five thousand people in

the procession. The Pioneer party of the Oriental Topographical corps sailed for Liverpool on Saturday en route to Egypt, Palestine and Asia Minor for scientific observations and photographs of all points of interest in the Bible lands, and to make arangements for a great expedition next autumn under the personal direction of Prof. James Strong and the counsel of Profs. Upham and Conant, Dr. Duryea and other noted scholars.

Fires.

MILWAUKIE, March 17 .- The Mann Bros. manufacturing company's works at the Two Rivers were destroyed by fire last Wednesday

night. Loss \$60,000. Ogdensburg, N. Y. March 17.—Λ fire here yesterday destroyed buildings extending from. Ford to Water streets, and from Catherine street to the river. The principal sufferers are J. H. Morgan, W. B. Allan & Sons, Kellogg & Co., Pope's sash and blind manufactory and Dawes' photograph rooms. Loss \$250,000;

probable insurance \$100,000. NEW YORK, March 17 .- A fire occurred this morning corner of Elm and Centre streets causing a loss of about \$35,000. The losers are F. and G. Hoag, cutlers and grinders, \$6,000; Carl Hollander & Co., furniture, \$7,000; John J. McCunn, packing box manufacturer, Hedstrom, manufacturer of tortoise shell jewelry, \$1,000. The building was owned by John Jay, and was damaged to about \$5,000. A fireman was struck by a falling coping and was seriously injured.

NORRISTOWN, PA., March 17 .- The old Catholic church and ten other buildings are now on fire.

The Susquehanna.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17 .- A dispatch from Chickies, Pa., says the ice in the Susquehanna moved last night and the channel is open there. At Columbia the river has fallen four feet and the Pennsylvania railroad tracks are clear. The canal is considerably damaged by the flood between there and Chickies.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17 .- At Port Deposit the river is rising, but no alarm is felt as channels are open from Water's Island to the head of the gorge at Rock Run. A rise of two or three feet would carry the ice away, as the gorge is only held by resting on the bottom.

Home Rule in Ireland.

LONDON, March 17.-The demonstration by the Irish population in this city in favor of Home Rule for Ireland and amnesty for imrisoned Fenians, for which arrangements have been making for some time, took place in Hyde Park. yesterday afternoon and was participated in by a very large number of people. The authorities made every preparation for the suppression of disorder and there was no disturbance except in one case where an excited Irishman attacked one of the Grenadier Guards because the latter had on a red coad. In the scuffle which ensued an arm of the soldier was broken.

St. Patrick's Day.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.-St. Patrick's day is being celebrated with unusual unanimity by the Irish societies and citizens. Large crowds are flocking into Broad street as participants or spectators. Ten thousand will be in the procession.

Weather Report.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,

WASHINGTON, March 17, 11 a. m. Probailities .- For the rest of Monday in New England and on the Middle Atlantic coast fresh to brisk northwest winds, rising barometer and generally clear weather with stationary temperature. For the Lower Lakes and Ohio Valley, falling barometer rising temperature, southwest wind. For the Upper Lakes, rising temperature, falling barometer and fresh to brisk southeasterly winds preceding a storm centre in the Northwest. For the Southwest falling barometer, south asterly winds, threatening and rainy weather.

Cautionary signals continue at Boston and Portland, Me.

Fires.

The railroad bridge over Kettle Run, on the ine of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, about six miles beyond Manassas, caught fire yesterday from the sparks from an engine, and was burned down. The passengers and freight frem one side of the river to the other, and met by trains of either end of the road, and thus interruption to travel avoided. The bridge will be rebuilt in a few days.

The residence of Mr. James Flynn, formerly Dr. Murray's house, near the Plains, was burned, by accident, it is supposed, last night.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Charles Entwisle, the former pilot of the steamer City of Alexandria, has been appointed Captain of that steamer, vice Captain Spranzy resigned, and took command of her yesterday, Mr. Thomas Travis taking his place as pilot. Capt. Spranzy has gone to Westmoreland to superintend the construction of a \$15,000 tag boat which he is having built there and which he will run on the Potomac.

About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Detectives O'Droyer, Woods and Gregory, of Richmond, arrived in Washington from Kansas with an escaped convict named Lucien Beard, the hoarse thief, in charge, whom they took to the Central Guard-house for safe keeping until this morning, when they left in the 7 o'clock Richmond boat.

In the Court of Appeals, sitting in Richmond on Friday, upon the petition of Mary Cody an appeal was allowed and supersedeas awarded to the judgment and decrees of the Circuit court of Fairfax county in the chancery suit of Cody vs. Cody and others. Penalty of bond \$100. Col. M. D. Ball, counsel for appellant.

J. A. Higgins, of the Alexandria Catholic Benificial Society, was one of the Chief Marshal's Aids in the celebration of St. Patrick's Day in Washington to-day and a portion of the Alexandria Social Cornet Band were engaged in furnishing the music on the occasion.

The northwest winds of the last two days have been much against the fisheries, only one oad, and that from Deep Hote, having arrived up since Saturday. Four cargoes of oysters are lying at the dock, selling at from 50 cents to 31 a bushel.

Capt. Eli Janney's patent car coupling has been attached to some of the cars at the Henry street depot and was tested this evening in the presence of a large number of spectators. It was found to work beautifully and is a purfect

But two cases have been before the Mayor since the last report-a woman named Ann Magruder and a man named Joseph Wilkins, both colored and both for disorderly conduct. They were fined and discharged.

The Galilean Fishermen, a male and female olored organization of Washington, visited this city in large numbers yesterday evening for the purpose of burrying one of their dead

The famous restaurant in Washington, the Chesapeake, has been leased by Messrs. Chas. G. Godfrey and Frank A. Goell and will hereafter be conducted by them in an improved

A colt was seared by a kite near the intersection of Wolfe and Fairfax streets this afternoon and threw its rider, a young man named Neale Philips, injuring him badly, though it is thought

Nearly all the members of the bar of this city left here this morning for Fairfax Court House to attend the quarterly term of the County Court.

Judge Lowe did not leave here to-day to hold court in Fridericksburg, in consequence of a telegram informing him that his attendance was nunceessary.

An unknown thirf stole a buffalo robe and whip from the buggy of Mr. John Catts while it was standing in front of the M. E. Church South last night.

In the special Court of Appeals sitting in IN SIX ACTS. Richmond on Friday the case of McKeuzie vs. the Potomac Ferry Company, was argued by Union Square Theatre, New York. Messrs. S. F. Beach and Styles and submitted. The fronts of the risidences of Messrs. Smoot and Perry on Prince between St. Asaph and

Washington streets are to be handsomely im-The alarm of fire yesterday afternoon was caused by the burning of the chimney of a house on Prince between Henry and Fayette

Mr. S. H. Lunt, as soon as the spring fairly opens, will build a brick house on his lot, north side of Cameron, between Alfred and Patrick streets.

The station house at Clark's Gap, W. & O. R. R., was broken into by thieves on Friday night last and robbed of 40 cents in money and about five dollars worth of goods. Mr. Wm. Harrison, who has been lying at

the point of death at his residence in Leesburg for several days past, was thought to be improving this morning.

The steam boat Wawaset arrived last night with eight thousand bunches of fish from the lower landings. They were carried on to Washington.

The many friends of Rev. Dr. Munsey, in this city, will be pleased to learn that he is again in Baltimore much improved in health. A new case of smallpox was reported this morning-a colored child living on Henry, between King and Cameron streets.

Mr. Jas. Coleman lost a valuable horse this morning from the supposed effects of the late prevailing epizootie.

It was rumored in Georgetown yesterday that water would be let on the Georgetown level and the Aiexandria canal to-night. Attention is directed to the advertisement of

Prof. Wiseman, the magician, in another

Attention of gas consumers is directed to the notice of the Superintendent of Gas in to-day's Gazette.

A meeting of the Sun Fire Com pany is to take place to-morrow night.

Mr. James E. Henderson was so unfortunate vesterday as to have his arm broken.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, March 17 .- Stocks dull. Gold quiet at 151. Money firm at 7 coin to 1-32 per ct. Flour duil. Wheat duil. Corn quiet.

BALTIMORE, March 17.-Va. sixes, consolidated 561. West Va. sixes 14 bid. Cotton dull and weak; low middlings 183 181. Flour very dull and market favors buyers; Howard Street Superfine 5.25a\$6.25; do. Extra 6.75a\$8.00; do. Family 8,50a\$10.75; City Mills Superfine 5,25a \$6,25; do. Extra 7.79a\$0.70, do. Family 10.00a \$12.00; Western Superline 5.25a\$6.25; do. Extra 6.25a\$6.50; do. Family 8 50a\$9.25. Wheat duli and unchanged. Corn-white Southern active and firm at 62; yellow do. duli at 58; mixed Western dull at 582. Oats steady; Southern 46a48; Western mixed 46a47; do. white nominal. Rye steady at 80a90. Hay firm at at

There is quite a discussion in some of the papers as to the "first blood shed during the late war." We suppose the first was in Alexandria, when Ell-worth and Jackson were killed at the Marshall House.

This is no intoxicating beverage or doctored iquor, to lead the tippler on to drunkenness and ruin, but a strictly medical preparation made from roots and herbs, suitable to any age or condition. As a family remedy, Simmons' Liver Regulator is equal to an entire medicine

TO STATE TAX-PAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that unless the taxes due for the year 1872 are paid before the first day of April next, I will be compelled to enforce the collection of the same by distraint and sale, with costs. The law will indulge me no longer, and corsequenty I can grant no further time.
mh 17-td J. M. STEUART, City Serg't.

Spring Clothing! Spring Clothing! Spring Clothing!

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Spring Clothing! Spring Clothing! Spring Clothing!

We have just returned from New York with a beautiful stock of all the

NEW STYLES OF SPRING CLOTHING,

In great variety. Call early at

I. SCHWARTZ & Co's., Sarepta Clothing Hall,

No. 89 King street. Mrs. Grundy Says

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That Sozobour eclipses all other preparations for the teeth and gums. And what Mrs. G. says is reiterated most emphatically by ninety-nine one-hundredths of the beauty and fashion of the

New Goods! New Goods!

Arrived this day at the large and extensive establishment of H. STRAUSS, Corner of King and Royal street;

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Pursuant to a decree of the County Court of Fairfax county, rendered at its January term, 1873, in the suit of Joseph Bruin, use of C. L. Mankins, vs. Thomas Javins, the undersigned,

Markins, vs. Inomas Javins, the undersigned, therein named, will offer, at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 22d day of March, 1873, at 1 o'clock p. m., at Catts' Tavern, West End, Fairfax county, Virginia, that highly cultivated and VALUABLE MARKET FARM, belong-

ing to and now in possession of Thomas Javins,

containing 572 acres of land, lying on the Little

River Turnpike, about two miles west of Alexandria. The land is highly improved, with good buildings, and is a most desirable farm. Terms of Sale: So much in hand as will pay

the costs and expenses of suit, and the residue in one, two and three years, with interest thereon from day of sale, and with retention of title un-

til the purchase money is paid. The purchaser

to give bonds, with good personal security, for

MRIST CHURCH RECTORY FOR SALE.

On TUESDAY, the 25th of March, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House, we will offer for sale, by auction, the PARSON-AGE LOT, binding 165 feet 7 inches on Washington street, and 123 feet 5 inches on Princess street, with the IMPROVEMENTS. The lot will be sublished a property of the lot will be sublished.

will be subdivided according to a plat which will be shown at the sale.

Terms: One-third cash, and the residue at 6,

12 and 18 months, equal payments, bearing in-

terest, and secured upon the property to our sat-

isfaction, by deed of trust or otherwise; the pur-

chasers to give notes for the deferred payments,

and to pay all taxes and expenses of conveyanc-

C. W. WATTLES, D. L. SMOOT,

Commissioners.

the deferred payments.
H. W. THOMAS,

Fairfax co., feb 19-wts

MARKET FARM FOR SALE.

By Green & Wise, BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Richard Riggles and wife, dated the first day of April, 1869, and duly recorded in the land records of Fairiax county, and by di-rection of the party secured thereby, I will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Man-sion House, in the city of Alexandria, on SAT-URDAY, the 22d day of March, 1873, at twelve o'clock m., the TRACT OF LAND on which said Rigoles resides, containing about 150 acres. said Riggles resides, containing about 150 acres with all the improvements thereon, and located

two miles south of Fairfax station. Terms of Sale: One-third cash, and the residue in six and twelve months, with six per cent in-terest. Conveyancing at the expense of pur-chaser. CORNELIUS JACOBS,

[Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.]

MARSHALL HOUSE PROPERTY FOR
SALE By F. A. Kerby.

SALE.
Under authority of the decree of the Circuit Under authority of the decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, rendered on the 17th day of January, 1873, in the su t of Joshua Lippineout vs. Kelly et al., the subscriber, as special commissioner, appointed for the purpose, will sell the MARSHALL HOUSE PROPERTY, in the city of Alexandria, Va., at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 22d day of March, 1873, consisting of

1. LOT at the southeast corner of King and Pitt treets, on which the Marshall House stands, troating, say, 33 feet on King, with a depth of, say, 177 feet on Pat street. 2. STABLE LOT OF THE HOTEL, on west

side of Pitt street, midway between King man Prince streets, having a front on Pitt of 27 feet and a depth of 61 fe t.

Terms: Ten per centum of the purchase meney cash, thirty per cent in six months, thirty per cent in twelve, and thirty per cent in eighteen months from day of sale, with interest. Bonds to be given for the deterred instalment; with good personal surety, the property to be resold at the risk of purchaser on fahure to e-mdy with terms of sale or to meet any deferred nstalments in whole or part, and title to be re-

tained till full payment of purchase money.

Sale in front of the Marshall House at 12 m. S. FERGUSON BEACH,

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND FISHERY IN PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at the No-vember term, 1872, in the suits of Newton against Newton and others, and Philips' administrator against Newton's executors and others, (consolidated) the undersigned, commissioners, ap-pointed by said decree, will offer at public au-tion, in front of the Mansion House, on Fairfax street, in the said city of Alexandria, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th of April, 1872, at 12 o'clock m., a TRACT OF LAND, situate in the county of Prince William, Virginia, on the Potomac river, containing about 852 acres, being the residue, after deducting the purchases of Naglee, Musser and Opp. respectively, of a larger tract known as DEEP HOLE, MOUNT PLEASANT and THE FARM, which was conveyed by Isaac Newton and wife and Samuel

N. Garwood and wife, in trust, to Edward T. Taylos and Presley Thornton Lomax, by deed, dated May 25th, 1854, recorded in the land records of Prince William county, Virginia. This is a very valuable estate, and has on it large quantity of excellent timber and a valuable FISHERY, known as "Deep Hole." Facilities to market are allorded by the Potomac river and the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad, which latter passes through the land. A plat and survey will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the tract will be sold entire, or divided into parcels as may seem to the

commissioners most advisable. Terms of Sale: Enough in each to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue in three equal annual instalments, with interest from date; the purchaser or purchasers giving bonds with approved security, and the title to be retained to secure the deferred pay-ments, and the land subject to be resold under decree in these suits at purchasers' risk, in case

of a failure to comply with the terms of sale.

FRANCIS L. SMITH,

EPPA HUNTON,

fvb 19-2awis Comm'rs. of Sale.

SALE OF VALUABLE MILL PROPER-tre Circuit Court of Prince William county, the 11th day of October, 1872, in the cause of Hedgemon Carney, plantiff, against Franklin Taylor, defendant, the undersigned, Commissioners, appointed by the said decree, will all a for sale, at public auction, to the highest bride at the front door of the Court Home of the said county, on the 7th DAY OF APRIL, 1873, the being Court day, a TRACT OF LAND, lying in Prince William and Stafferd counties, con-

taining about 1012 acres, lying on the Chapparwamsic run. This tract of land has upon it a very comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, (25) with four rooms, and all necessary out-256, houses, barn and stable, and a valuable GREST and SAW MILL. Terms: One-fourth cash, and the residue on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest from date; the purchaser to execute bond and

security for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is p id, as a further security therefor. W. WILLOUGHBY. WM. H. PAYNE,

AYLET NICOL, Pr. Wm. co., mh 5-cots Commissioners. BUTCHERS' NOTICES.

New Market, dealer in fresh and corned beef, smoked tongues, &c., will, on and after Satur-day, March 1st, 1872, have for sale all kinds of the most choice butchers' meats. feb 28-1m

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